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DANGEROUS FIGURE

The Fearless Mexican Peccary Will
Fight Man or Beast.

A writer in the St. Louis Republic
says that the most vicious and fearless
member of the brute creation is the
peccary, or wild hog, of Mexico. This
animal seems utterly devoid of fear
and displays an intelligence in fighting
man strangely at variance with its ap-
parently complete lack of mental at-
tributes.

Their ability to scent man is particu-
larly marked. The only thing to do
when they get after you is to run
away from them as fast as a horse
can carry you, and then there is no
certainty that they won't catch you.
They are nearly as swift as a horse,
and their endurance is as great as
their viciousness.

A friend of mine encountered a
drove of them in a wild part of Mexico
a few years ago, and his escape was
almost miraculous. He very foolishly
shot and wounded a number of them.
Then he took refuge in a tree.

The peccaries kept him in the tree all
that day and through the night. They
circled round the tree, grunting and
squealing their delight at the prospect
of a feast. He soon exhausted his am-
munition and brought down a peccary
at each fire, but this had no terrors for
the beasts.

Toward morning they began to eat
those he had killed, after which they
formed in line and trotted off. If they
had not had some of their own number
to devour they would have guarded
that tree until my friend through sheer
exhaustion dropped from his perch and
allowed them to make a meal of him.

The wildcats and tigers that infest
the Mexican wilds flee from the pec-
caries with instinctive fear, and even
rattlesnakes keep out of their path.

LOVE'S TEST.

Where Her Great Help Was Needed
Her Heart Was Willing.

"Professor," said the fair co-ed after
a pause, "let me ask you if you ever
use the phrase 'different than?'"

"Never!" exclaimed the young pro-
fessor of rhetoric and English litera-
ture. "It exasperates me, Miss Pinkie,
whenever I see it in print."

"I am glad we have something in
common," she rejoined. "Neverthe-
less, Professor de Purey, I cannot be
your wife."

"Mr. Koopong," asked the young wo-
man, with downcast eyes, "now that I
happen to think of it, do you ever use
the phrase 'different than?'"

"I certainly do not," said the enau-
roed capitalist. "It is not only incor-
rect, but utterly absurd."

"I am glad to hear you say so. Still,
Mr. Koopong, it is useless to urge me.
I never can be anything more to you
than a friend."

"Let me ask you one question, Mr.
Pnoodles," she said. "Do you ever use
the phrase 'different than?'"

"Why—or I presume I have used it
carelessly sometimes, Miss P-Pinkie,"
stammered the embarrassed youth.
"But now that you have called my at-
tention to it I shall be careful to say
'different from' hereafter."

"Claude," she exclaimed, clasping her
hands ecstatically and gazing at him
with soulful eyes, "my answer is yes—
yes! You poor, dear boy, you need a
helpmate, and I'll be the helpmate!"—
Chicago Tribune.

Mental Medicine.

A somewhat eccentric physician who
recently died would order patients to
take walks, say daily, on the left side
of the street, returning by the other
side; another he would order to arise
each morning at a certain hour and
eat cheese with ginger beer; another to
take supper precisely at midnight and
eat only apples, or he would instruct
the patient to put just so many grains
of salt on the egg he was to eat and
part his hair in a different way each
day. His object was to get the mind
of the patient on something else than
symptoms, and this scheme worked
well in many cases, especially when
the patient was suffering from melan-
cholia.—New York Times.

Muskat Skin Cure.

"The skin of a muskrat taken and
worn next to the chest will cure any
case of asthma in the world," said a
Louisville man. "I had an uncle who
suffered a thousand deaths with asth-
ma and tried everything that could be
bought in the way of medicine. Final-
ly one day an old time friend told him
of the muskrat skin, and he tried it. In
two months he was as well as he had
ever been. Just how the skin
works about a cure is a mystery, but it
will do it."—Nashville Tennessean.

The Comparison.

Lesec and Lemalgre, who were both
as thin as laths, were discussing a mu-
tual friend.

Lesec—I met our friend Durand this
morning. He has grown so thin.

Lemalgre—Really? And he was so
stout.

Lesec—Yes, it is dreadful. He is
thinner than both of us put together
now.—Pele Mele.

The Picture Was Good, of Course.
Friend (to artist)—Well, were you
successful at the salon? Artist—No.
They rejected my picture, the wretches!

Friend—Why? Artist—How should I
know? The oil was bad perhaps.—Nos
Loisirs.

Amusement.

First Old Lady—What kind of a time
did you have at the funeral? Second
Old Lady—Well, I've enjoyed myself
more at others.—Life.

If you don't scale the mountain you
can't view the plain.—Chinese Proverb.

Wit and Humor

"PRIVATE" JOHN ALLEN.



AFTER sixteen years of serv-
ice, during which time he en-
joyed the reputation of being the wit of
the national house of representatives,
"Private" John M. Allen of Tupelo,
Miss., voluntarily retired to the more
lucrative if less

conspicuous vocation of the law. The
memory of his stories and humor still
survives in the national capital, where
few men have been more popular.

The story of the way Allen got his
title of "Private" is still worth telling,
though the incident happened over
twenty years ago. It was when he
first ran for congress. His opponent
was a General Tucker, and the two
campaigns together. The general at
one meeting told the crowd how he had
saved their town during the war and
gave particularly eloquent in describ-
ing his sleep in a tent the night be-
fore the battle.

Allen, who was not within a hundred
miles of that battle, rejoined in his
inimitable manner:

Friends and Fellow Citizens—It's all
true what General Tucker told you about
his sleeping in his tent that night before
the battle. I know all about it, for I was
guarding that tent all night long in the
cold and wet on picket. And now I just
want to say to all of you who were gen-
erals in the war and slept at nights in
your guarded tents, like General Tucker,
you vote for him. But all you fellows
that guarded the general's tents in the
wet and cold, like me, you vote for Pri-
vate Allen.

That speech gained Allen his sobri-
quet and his election at one and the
same time.

One of Mr. Allen's most famous
speeches in congress was delivered in
the summer of 1896, when Speaker
Reed and Major McKinley were both
candidates for the Republican presi-
dential nomination and as a conse-
quence were saying little on public
questions.

Allen began by stating that there had
been considerable comment in the
newspapers respecting the somewhat
unusual silence which had character-
ized him in this session. "But, Mr.
Speaker," he continued, "there has
been little in this session of congress
to inspire a Christian man to be lo-
quacious. I am not the only one who
has been silent in these days. There
are many of us leaders who are not
talking much lately."

Mr. Allen said the Republicans were
evidently going to select for their can-
didate a man who had the qualities for
which the colonel of a cavalry regiment
selected animals for his troops, "He
must turn quick and go fast."

On a later occasion Allen had diffi-
culty in securing recognition. When he
finally got the floor, he said in a deeply
injured tone:

"There is an evident disposition on
the part of somebody to suppress my
impassioned oratory. I wish to assure
the speaker and the house that it is not
my purpose, and I have no desire by
my fervid and persuasive eloquence to
overpersuade this house into the adop-
tion of any unconstitutional or hurtful
measure. Sir, I would scorn to take
any such advantage of the weakness
of the house."

One of the most amusing speeches
"Private" Allen ever made in the house
was in support of the bill to tax oleo-
margarine. Representative Tillman of
South Carolina, brother of Senator Ben
Tillman, had claimed that oleo is su-
perior to many brands of butter and
that it was an injustice to the poor
man to prevent his buying it. In re-
ply Allen told a story of an old negro
who had eaten a box of axle grease,
thinking it cheese. Upon being asked
how he liked it the old man replied:

"Fo' God, boss, dat was de ransom-
est cheese I eber has eat yet."

"Now, Mr. Chairman," commented
Allen, "I have no doubt that if a propo-
sition were pending here to prevent
the sale of axle grease for cheese the
gentleman from South Carolina would
deliver us a scientific lecture and try
to persuade us it was much better and
more wholesome than cheese and that
it would be a great outrage on the la-
boring man to suppress the fraud."

At a banquet given by a millionaire
senator one evening Allen hesitated as
he was entering the magnificent din-
ing room and then remarked to his
partner:

"My dear young lady, let us pause a
moment or two. I doubt if I can re-
strain my feelings."

There seemed to be trouble on his
face, and the lady said:

"Why, Mr. Allen, what is the matter
with you?"

"I am sad," was his reply.

"For what reason?"

"Oh, it makes me sad to look at this
room. It reminds me so much of my
own dining room at Tupelo."

Those who knew poor Allen's finan-
cial circumstances could appreciate the
point of his joke.

When showing one of his Mississippi
constituents about the house, the de-
lighted countryman asked:

"Who is the leader of this house?"

"Oh," said Allen modestly, "you will
find out when they call the roll. The
first man on the list is the leader of
the house. They are just now getting
ready for a call."

The Mississippiian pricked up his
ears and listened. A moment later
the clerk bawled out at the head of the
list:

"John M. Allen!"

NOTICE OF HEARING

On petition for distribution of residue of es-
tate of Nebraska, Red Willow county, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of James
Cain, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Mary Cain, ad-
ministratrix of said estate, has filed her peti-
tion in the county court of said county, the ob-
ject and prayer of which are that the residue of
said estate now in her possession to the parties en-
titled by law to receive the same.

You are hereby notified that said petition will
be heard by the county judge at the county
court room in the city of McCook, in said coun-
ty, on the thirty-first day of August, 1907 at ten
o'clock a. m.

It is ordered that a copy of this notice be pub-
lished once each week for three successive
weeks in the McCook Tribune, a newspaper
printed and published in said county.

Dated the sixteenth day of August, 1907.
SEAL 8-16-07. J. C. MOORE, County Judge.

NOTICE OF AUTHORIZATION.

Treasury Department,
Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., August 5th, 1907.

WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to
the undersigned, it has been made to appear
that THE MCCOOK NATIONAL BANK, in the
City of McCook, in the County of Red Will-
ow, and State of Nebraska, has complied with
all the provisions of the Statutes of the United
States, required to be complied with before an
association shall be authorized to commence
the business of banking;

NOW THEREFORE I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy
Assistant Comptroller of the Currency, do
hereby certify that "THE MCCOOK NATIONAL
BANK," in the City of McCook, in the County
of Red Willow, and State of Nebraska, is au-
thorized to commence the business of banking as
provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty
nine of the Revised Statutes of the United
States.

In TESTIMONY WHEREOF witness my hand
and seal of this office this Fifth day of August,
1907.

OFFICIAL SEAL Deputy Assistant Comptroller of the Currency.
First: August 9, 1907. Last: October 11, 1907.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, land office at
Lincoln, Neb., July 9, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Anton Giespelt of
St. Ann, Neb., has filed notice of his intention
to make final five year proof in support of his
claim to the following land, to-wit: Section 34-5,
Twp. 18 N., R. 10 W., S. 10 E., Range 30 W., and that
said proof will be made before the Clerk of
District Court at McCook, Nebraska, on August
17, 1907. He names the following witnesses to
prove his continuous residence upon, and culti-
vation of said land, viz: Joseph Anton Giespelt,
John Fitzgibbons, Thomas Fitzgibbons, John
Braun, all of St. Ann, Nebraska.

7-2-64 CHAS. F. SHEDD, Register.

PUBLICATION NOTICE

E. A. Williams, who is also known as Emma
A. Williams, J. A. Huber, whose full christian
name is unknown, Mary E. Huber, and William
C. Schenck, residents of Red Willow County, ss.
The twenty-second day of July, 1907, Mary A. F.
Huber, the plaintiff herein, filed her petition in
the district court of Red Willow county, in the
State of Nebraska, against said defendants, for
object and prayer of which are that each and
all of the following described fraudulent deeds
conveyances be set aside, annulled, and the
same be null and void, and that the plaintiff
be restored to the title to the land in and to
the original town of McCook, in said county
and state, to-wit: the deed of November
31st, 1905, from E. A. Williams to J. A. Huber,
recorded at page 278, in book 36 of the deed
records of said county; the deed of May 23rd,
1905, from J. A. Huber to Mary E. Huber,
recorded at page 88, in book 32 of the deed
records of said county; and the deed of May
23rd, 1907, from Mary E. Huber to William C.
Schenck, recorded at page 246, in book 35 of the
deed records of said county; he set aside and
cancelled, and that the plaintiff be restored
to the title to said premises be quieted in her,
and that the defendants and each of them be
barred and estopped from having or claiming
any estate or interest in said property by virtue
of said pretended conveyances and fraudulent
transactions or at all, and that a receiver be
appointed by said court to take charge of said
property during the pendency of said action and
to receive and collect the rents and profits
arising from and pay the same into said court,
and that plaintiff have and recover her
costs, and that she have such other and further
relief as may seem equitable and just.

You are required to answer said petition on or
before Monday, the second day of September,
1907.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of July, 1907.

MARY A. F. HUBER, Plaintiff,
By Garwood & Garwood,
W. S. Morlan, her Attorneys.

7-26-44

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PROBATE OF

WILL.

In the county court of Red Willow county,
State of Nebraska. In the matter of the estate
of Charles W. Williams, deceased. State of
Nebraska, Red Willow county, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of
Charles W. Williams, deceased: Whereas,
Almeron Reed of said county has filed in my
office, my commission as probate judge, a will
and testament of Charles W. Williams, late
of said county, deceased, and said Almeron
Reed has filed his petition therein, praying to
have said will admitted to probate and for the
issuing of letters testamentary, which will re-
lates to both real and personal estate, I have
appointed the 17th day of August, 1907, at one
o'clock in the afternoon at the county court
room in said county as the time and place for
hearing said will, at which time and place you
and all concerned may appear and contest the
allowing of the same.

It is further ordered that said petitioner give
notice to all persons interested in said estate of
the pendency of this petition and the time and
place set for the hearing of the same by causing
this notice to be published in the McCook
Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in
said county, for three weeks successively
previous to the day set for hearing.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and official seal this 1st day of August,
1907.—8-2-07.

[SEAL] J. C. MOORE, County Judge.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate filings have
been made in the county clerk's office
since our last report:

M J Roberts and wife to Dan Cashen
wd to lot 2, blk 9, Danbury.....\$ 135 00
James O Hammond and wife to Cora
Goldtrap, wd to lots 5 and 6, block 1,
McCook..... 2,000 00
Lincoln Land Co to Roy Smith wd to
lots 3 and 4, blk 6, Indianola..... 80 00
Lincoln Land Co to Clarence C Har-
less wd to lot 3, blk 12, 4th McCook..... 200 00
H E Athey and wife to Perry Githner
wd to lots 1 to 12 inclusive, and 16 to
24 inclusive, blk 63, Bartley..... 12,400 00
B F Frees, tr and wife to A F Green,
wd to lots 19 and 20, blk 4, McCook..... 325 00
William Byfield and wife to William
H Meyers, wd to sec 34 q 2 and s 1/2
q 18 and lot 3, blk 19, all in 3-28, 3,100 00
Geo Theobald wdtr and H E Athey
and wife to Perry Githner wd to lots
13, 14 and 15, blk 63, Bartley..... 100 00
Fred R Bruns and wife to Homer C
Shriner wd to lot 1, blk 15, 1st Mc-
Cook..... 1,600 00
Carr S Prime and wife to Ida M Mc-
Mullen wd to ne q 11-3-27..... 5,800 00
F O Forren to C C Porter contract to
soda fountain..... 150 00
Charles A Leach wdtr to Mildred
Jennings wd to lot 12, blk 25, 1st Mc-
Cook..... 1,000 00
Sarah A Haley wdtr to P J Farrell
grdn deed to three fourths int in nw
qr 10-1-30..... 1,125 00
Sarah A Haley, wdtr to P J Farrell, wd
to nw qr 10-1-30..... 1 00
Alta Haley, singtr to P J Farrell, wd to
one fourth interest in nw qr 10-1-30
Lyman Jennings, wdtr to William Ed-
ward McKillip, wd to sw qr ne qr
and lots 1, 2, 5, 6, blk 5 and lots 4, 5,
blk 4, 3-25, s 1/2 sw qr 33-4-35..... 14,000 00
Lincoln Land Co to City of McCook
wd to lot 18, blk 10, McCook..... 1 00
Charles E Stinson to Philip Glem
wd to lots 2 and 3, blk 18, Danbury 1,800 00

BEGGS' CHERRY COUGH

SYRUP Cures BRONCHITIS.

ORDER OF HEARING.

In the county court of Red Willow county,
State of Nebraska. In the matter of the estate
of Angelo P. Welles, deceased.

To all persons interested in the estate of An-
gelo P. Welles, deceased: You are hereby not-
ified that on the sixth day of August, 1907, Mat-
tie G. Welles, administratrix of the estate of
Angelo P. Welles, deceased, filed in said court
her final account as said administratrix, and
that said final account will be heard on the
twenty-fourth day of August, at the hour of ten
o'clock a. m., at the county court room in the
city of McCook, in said county; and you are
hereby cited to appear at the time and place
above designated, and show cause, if any such
exists, why said account should not be allowed.
It is hereby ordered that said Mattie G. Welles,
administratrix, give notice to all persons inter-
ested in said estate by causing a copy of this
order to be published in the McCook Tribune, a
newspaper printed and published in said coun-
ty for three successive weeks prior to the date
set for said hearing.—8-3-07.

[SEAL] J. C. MOORE, County Judge.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE
McCook Co-operative
Building & Savings Ass'n

of McCook, Nebraska, on the 30th day
of June, 1906.

ASSETS.

First Mortgage Loans.....\$ 101,175 00
Stock loans..... 10,125 00
Real estate..... 1,108 30
Cash..... 378 30
Delinquent dues and interest..... 112 75
Expenses and taxes paid..... 205 95
Other assets..... 26 80
Total.....\$ 113,122 60

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid up.....\$ 104,414 75
Reserve fund..... 1,432 59
Undivided profits..... 3,169 81
Other liabilities..... 4,122 45
Total.....\$ 113,122 60

Receipts and expenditures for the year ending
June 30, 1907.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand July 1, 1906.....\$ 1,811 79
State of Nebraska, Red Willow County, ss.
I, F. A. Pennell, secretary of the above named
association, do solemnly swear that the forego-
ing is a true and correct statement of the con-
dition of said association, to the best of my knowl-
edge and belief. F. A. PENNELL, Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th
day of June, 1907. CHAS. W. MOORE, Notary Public.
[SEAL]

Approved: F. M. KIMMEL,
C. F. LEHN,
J. A. WILSON,
Directors.

EXPENDITURES.

Loans.....\$ 48,600 00
Expenses..... 883 45
Stock redeemed..... 4,563 36
Tax certificates..... 128 19
Bills payable..... 9,290 00
Cash on hand..... 378 80
Total.....\$ 63,524 24

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